

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.

2493A

In Re Application Of: ARENDS

Application No.  
10/612,798Filing Date  
07/02/2003Examiner  
LEUNG, J.Customer No.  
278Group Art Unit  
1764

Confirmation No.

Invention: APPARATUS FOR CONVERTING...

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COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 03/17/2006 above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month    ☐ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: 06/17/2006 until: 07/17/2006  
*Date* *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is \$120 and is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  
☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 194675  
☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 194675  
☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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*Signature*

Dated: 07/13/2006

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